

FRANKLIN TRUST OFFICE
166 MONTAGUE STREET, BROOKLYN, N.Y.

October 23, 1923.

American Numismatic Society, Broadway & 156th Street, New York City.

Attention: Howland Wood, Esq. Curator

Dear Sirs:-

We are sending you by American Railway Express today box containing the collection of numismatic books, ancient coine, cufic glass weights and bottle stamps which were bequeathed to your society under the will of the Reverend James B. Nies. We are enclosing receipt in duplicate which kindly have signed and return one copy to us for our files.

Very truly yours,

WM. R. MOLLINEAUX JR.

Assistant Trust Officer.

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The Bank of America, 166 Montague Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Attention of Mr. W. R. Mollineaux, Jr.

Dear Sir:

We beg to acknowledge the receipt of the coins, glass weights and books bequeathed to this Society in the will of the late Dr. James B. Nies. I am herewith returning the receipt for these.

There is one item that I know Dr. Nies had, and that has not as yet turned up. This consisted of a sheet of thick paper at least 10 x 12 on which was mounted two or three pieces of paper money in Arabic. The caption of this sheet of paper was something as follows:-

Paper Money issued by General Gordon at Khartum.

This item we are especially anxious to get but have no idea where Dr. Nies kept it, possibly in some large sized book.

Very truly yours,